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In re F	Patent Application of	MAIL STOP AMENDMENT			
Takes	hi Wada et al.	Group Art Unit: 2627			
Applic	ation No.: 10/081,236	Examiner: CHRISTOPHER R MAGEE			
Filing	Date: February 25, 2002	Confirmation No.: 3854			
Title:	HEAD SLIDER WITH PRECISE POSITIONING ACTUATOR AND MANUFACTURING METHOD OF THE HEAD SLIDER				
	AMENDMENT/REPLY TRA	NSMITTAL LETTER			
P.O. E Alexai	nissioner for Patents Box 1450 ndria, VA 22313-1450	Date: March 12, 2007			
Sir:					
Enclos	sed is a reply for the above-identified patent	application.			
	A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed.				
	Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the \$\sum \$\\$65 \$\sum \$\\$130 fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. \§ 1.20(d) are enclosed.				
	Also enclosed is/are:				
	Small entity status is hereby claimed.				
	Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the \$\square\$ \$ 395 \$\square\$ \$ 790 fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).				
	Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments <u>not</u> be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above.				
	Applicant(s) previously submittedcontinued examination is requested.	on for which			
	Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.				
	A Request for Entry and Consideration of S (1809/2809) is also enclosed.	Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a)			

\boxtimes	No additional claim fee is required.
	An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

AMENDED CLAIMS							
	No. of Claims	Highest No. of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Additio	nal Fee	
Total Claims	10	30	0	x \$ 50 (1202)	\$	0	
Independent Claims	2	4	0	x \$ 200 (1201)		0	
☐ If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$ 360 (1203)						0	
Total Claim Amendment Fee						0	
☐ Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee						0	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						0	

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	A check in the amount of	is enclosed	for the fee due.
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⊠	37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 a	uthorized to charge any appropr and 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may b nt, to Deposit Account No. 02-4	be required by this paper, and

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

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Sir:

This Amendment responds to the Office Action dated December 11, 2006 (Paper No. 20061204). Please amend the above-noted application as follows: